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Reyes Bereuter Harman Riley Schiff Carson Jenkins Johnson (CT) Clay Cubin Solomon Lantos Foglietta McKinney Yates Gonzalez Neal

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Mr. ROEMER changed his vote from "no" to "aye.

So the motion to table the motion to reconsider was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. JENKINS. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 599, I was inadvertently detained. Had I been present. I would have voted "ves."

MOTION TO ADJOURN

Mr. DOGGETT. Mr. Speaker, I have a privileged motion at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. GIB-BONS). The Clerk will report the mo-

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. Doggett moves that the House do now adjourn.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to adjourn offered by the gentleman from Texas [Mr. Doggett].

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the noes appeared to have it.

Mr. DOGGETT. Mr. Speaker, on that, I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 66, nays 350, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 600] YEAS-66

Andrews Evans McNulty Barrett (WI) Meek Farr Menendez Filner Becerra Bonior Flake Miller (CA) Frank (MA) Brown (CA) Mink Brown (FL) Oberstar Geidenson Brown (OH) Gephardt Olver Clement Harman Pallone Hastings (FL) Clyburn Payne Pelosi Conyers Hefner Coyne Davis (FL) Peterson (MN) Hinchey Pickett Jefferson DeFazio LaFalce Rangel DeLauro Lantos Lewis (GA) Rodriguez Deutsch Sabo Sanchez Dingell Lofgren Markey Doggett Eshoo Scott Skelton McDermott

Stark Strickland Stupak Thurman

Torres Towns Velazquez Vento

Waters Waxman Wise Woolsey

NAYS-350

Abercrombie Ensign Etheridge Ackerman Aderholt Everett Allen Ewing Fattah Archer Armey Fawell Bachus Fazio Baesler Folev Forbes Baker Baldacci Ford Fossella Barcia Fowler Barr Barrett (NE) Fox Franks (NJ) Bartlett Barton Frelinghuysen Bass Bateman Frost Furse Gallegly Bentsen Bereuter Ganske Gekas Berman Berry Gibbons Bilbray Gilchrest Bilirakis Gillmor Bishop Gilman Blagojevich Goode Goodlatte Bliley Blumenauer Goodling Gordon Blunt Boehlert Goss Boehner Graham Bonilla Granger Green Greenwood Gutknecht Borski Boswell Boucher Hall (OH) Boyd Brady Hall (TX) Hamilton Hansen Bryant Bunning Hastert Hastings (WA) Burr Burton Hayworth Buyer Callahan Hefley Herger Calvert Hill Camp Campbell Hilleary Hilliard Canady Hinojosa Cannon Hobson Cardin Hoekstra Castle Holden Chabot Hooley Chambliss Horn Hostettler Chenoweth Christensen Houghton Hoyer Hulshof Coble Coburn Hunter Collins Hutchinson Combest Hyde Inglis Condit Cook Jackson (IL) Cooksey Costello Jackson-Lee (TX) Jenkins Cramer Crane John Crapo Johnson (CT) Cummings Johnson (WI) Cunningham Johnson, E. B. Danner Davis (IL) Johnson, Sam Jones Kanjorski Davis (VA) Deal Kaptur Kasich DeGette Delahunt Kelly Kennedy (RI) DeLay Dellums Kennelly Kildee Kilpatrick Diaz-Balart Dickey Dicks Kim Dixon Kind (WI) Dooley King (NY) Doolittle Kingston Kleczka Doyle Dreier Klink Duncan Klug Dunn Knollenberg Edwards Kolbe Ehlers Kucinich Ehrlich LaHood Emerson Lampson

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Peterson (PA)

Pease

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Pombo

Porter

Pomeroy

Portman

Poshard

Rahall

Regula

Riggs Rivers

Roemer

Rogan

Rogers

Rohrabacher

Ros-Lehtinen

Roukema Roybal-Allard

Rothman

Royce

Rush

Largent

Latham

Ramstad

Redmond

Price (NC)

Pryce (OH)

Quinn Radanovich

Pickering

Paul

Pascrell

Ryun	Smith (OR)	Tiahrt
Salmon	Smith (TX)	Tierney
Sanders	Smith, Adam	Traficant
Sandlin	Smith, Linda	Turner
Sanford	Snowbarger	Upton
Sawyer	Snyder	Visclosky
Saxton	Solomon	Walsh
Scarborough	Souder	Wamp
Schaefer, Dan	Spence	Watkins
Schaffer, Bob	Spratt	Watt (NC)
Schumer	Stabenow	Watts (OK)
Sensenbrenner	Stearns	Weldon (FL)
Serrano	Stenholm	Weldon (PA)
Sessions	Stump	Weller
Shadegg	Sununu	Wexler
Shaw	Talent	Weygand
Shays	Tanner	White
Sherman	Tauscher	Whitfield
Shimkus	Tauzin	Wicker
Sisisky	Taylor (MS)	Wolf
Skaggs	Taylor (NC)	Wynn
Skeen	Thomas	Young (AK)
Slaughter	Thompson	Young (FL)
Smith (MI)	Thornberry	
Smith (NJ)	Thune	

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Ballenger	Gutierrez	Riley
Carson	Kennedy (MA)	Schiff
Clayton	McKinney	Shuster
Cubin	Neal	Stokes
Foglietta	Owens	Yates
Gonzalez	Reyes	

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Mr. McNULTY changed his vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the motion to adjourn was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

UNITED STATES-TAIWAN ANTI-BALLISTIC MISSILE DEFENSE COOPERATION ACT

Mr. GILMAN. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to House Resolution 302, I call up the bill (H.R. 2386) to implement the provisions of the Taiwan Relations Act concerning the stability and security of Taiwan and United States cooperation with Taiwan on the development and acquisition of defensive military articles, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. GIBBONS). The bill is considered read for amendment.

The text of H.R. 2386 is as follows:

H.R. 2386

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "United States-Taiwan Anti-Ballistic Missile Defense Cooperation Act".

SEC. 2. FINDINGS.

The Congress finds the following:

- (1) The stability and security of Taiwan and the balance of power in the Taiwan Strait are key elements for the continued peace and stability of the greater Asia-Pacific region, and the indefinite continuation of such stability and security and balance of power is in the vital national security interest of the United States.
- (2) The People's Republic of China is currently engaged in a comprehensive military modernization campaign that is enhancing the power-projection capabilities of the People's Liberation Army, including the introduction of advanced ballistic and cruise missiles that could alter the current balance of power in the Taiwan Strait and in the greater Asia-Pacific region.

(3) The current lack of transparency in the People's Republic of China military infrastructure and its associated defense establishment and the opaqueness of the comprehensive efforts of the People's Liberation Army to modernize its ballistic and cruise missile programs could spark a regional arms race that would destabilize the East Asia and Western Pacific regions and threaten vital United States national security interests.

(4) In March 1996, the People's Liberation Army created a temporary, but de facto, blockade of both the international shipping lanes of the Taiwan Strait and the international airspace around Taiwan by conducting live-fire military exercises which included the launch of several advanced, nuclear-capable M-9 ballistic missiles to target areas close to major ports in both the northern and southern areas of Taiwan.

(5) In March 1996, the locations of People's Liberation Army military activities and M-9 missile target areas nearby to Taiwan's two largest ports, Keelung and Kaohsiung, created a de facto blockade of the Taiwan Strait, international waters and airspace, interfered with United States and international shipping and aviation, and impinged upon the national security interests of the United States, requiring the immediate deployment of two United States aircraft carrier battle groups to the South China Sea.

(6) The actions of the People's Liberation Army in such close proximity to Taiwan were deliberate attempts to disrupt Taiwan's social and economic stability and were carried out as attempts to intimidate the people of Taiwan during the period leading up to Taiwan's historic first democratic presidential election.

(7) The early development and deployment of an effective United States theater missile defense system to the Asia-Pacific region, and the adjustment of United States policy to include Taiwan, including the Penghu Islands, Kinmen, and Matsu, under the protection of such defense system, would be prudent and appropriate responses to—

(A) the refusal by the People's Republic of China to renounce the use of force to determine the future of Taiwan;

(B) the nature of the military threat of the People's Republic of China posed by the increased focus of the People's Liberation Army on advanced missile development; and

(C) the demonstrated intent of the Government of the People's Republic of China to use live-fire military exercises and ballistic missile tests against the people and Government of Taiwan as tools of so-called coercive missile tests against the people and Government of Taiwan as tools of so-called coercive diplomacy.

(8) The early deployment of a United States theater anti-ballistic missile system in the Asia-Pacific region would maintain a balance of power in the Taiwan Strait and deter the People's Republic of China from resorting to military intimidation tactics to coerce or manipulate the people and freely-elected Government of Taiwan in the future.

(9) Taiwan's local air-defense capability provided by the United States Modified Air Defense System (MADS) is not adequate for the task of defending local areas of Taiwan, including the Penghu Islands, Kinmen, and Matsu, from limited ballistic missile attacks or deterring the threat and use of force against Taiwan by the People's Liberation Army to achieve the political goals of the core leadership of the People's Republic of China.

(10) Taiwan has requested further United States cooperation on missile defense, including the conduct of a joint architecture study of the requirements for the establishment and operation of a missile defense sys-

tem for Taiwan, including the Penghu Islands, Kinmen, and Matsu.

SEC. 3. APPLICABILITY OF TAIWAN RELATIONS ACT.

Section 3 of the Taiwan Relations Act (22 U.S.C. 3302) is amended by adding at the end the following new subsection:

"(d) The provisions of subsections (a) and (b) supersede any provision of the Joint Communique of the United States and China of August 17, 1982.".

SEC. 4. STUDY AND REPORT RELATING TO ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF A THEATER BALLISTIC MISSILE DEFENSE SYSTEM IN THE ASIA-PACIFIC REGION.

(a) STUDY.—The Secretary of Defense shall carry out a study of the architecture requirements for the establishment and operation of a theater ballistic missile defense system in the Asia-Pacific region that would have the capability to protect Taiwan from ballistic missile attacks. The study shall include a description of appropriate measures by which the United States would cooperate with Taiwan and provide Taiwan with an advanced local-area ballistic missile defense system.

(b) REPORT.—Not later than July 1, 1998, the Secretary of Defense shall submit to the Committee on National Security of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Armed Services of the Senate a report containing—

(1) the results of the study conducted under subsection (a);

(2) the factors used to obtain such results; (3) a description of any existing United States missile defense system that could be transferred to Taiwan in accordance with the Taiwan Relations Act in order to allow Taiwan to provide for its self-defense against limited ballistic missile attacks.

(c) FORM OF REPORT.—The report under subsection (b) shall be submitted in both classified and unclassified form.

SEC. 5. TRANSFER OF BALLISTIC MISSILE DEFENSE SYSTEMS TO TAIWAN.

It is the sense of the Congress that the President, if requested by the Government of Taiwan and in accordance with the results of the study conducted under section 4, should transfer to the Government of Taiwan appropriate defense articles or defense services under the foreign military sales program under chapter 2 of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2761 et seq.) for the purpose of establishing and operating a local-area ballistic missile defense system to protect Taiwan, including the Penghu Islands, Kinmen, and Matsu, against limited ballistic missile attacks.

SEC. 6. STATEMENT OF POLICY RELATING TO UNITED STATES THEATER MISSILE DEFENSES FOR THE ASIA-PACIFIC REGION.

The Congress declares that it is in the national interest of the United States that Taiwan be included in any effort at ballistic missile defense cooperation, networking, or interoperability with friendly and allied nations in the Asia-Pacific region.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 302, the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the bill and modified by the amendments printed in part 4 of House Report 105–379 is adopted.

The text of the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute as amended pursuant to House Resolution 302 is as follows:

H.R. 2386

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,